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REMARKS

In response to the Examiner's Restriction Requirement, Applicant hereby elects the invention of Group I, on which claims 1-10 appear readable, without traverse.

Applicant reserves the opportunity to file a Divisional Application for the non-elected species later.

Should the Examiner find the application to be other than in condition for allowance, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned at the local telephone number listed below to discuss any other changes deemed necessary in a <u>telephonic or personal interview</u>.

A conditional petition is made for any extension of time which may become necessary.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in fees or to credit any overpayment in fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

Date: 4/30/9

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